

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTALPATENT

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Art Unit: 2811  
Attorney Docket No.: 42P15032

An Amendment After Final Action (37 CFR 1.116) is attached and applicant(s) request expedited action.

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Applicant(s) claim small entity status (37 CFR 1.27).

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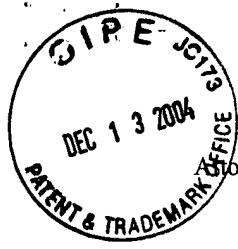
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### AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed September 9, 2004. Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper. **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.

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